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Hitoshi Endou et al.

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In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements mailed January 8, 2007, Applicant respectfully submits a Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney, an Supplemental Application Data Sheet, and Part 2 Copy of Notice.

It is noted that the Supplemental Application Data Sheet is submitted to correct the residential information for the fourth inventor, Karen Leigh Price.

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English Translation of Application (52 pages)

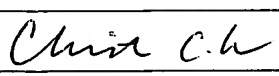
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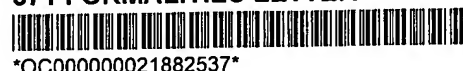
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- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 05/11/2006
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- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.

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